

January 2012 Labor Report
March 13, 2012



Unemployment in Kansas and MSAs
 Place of Residence Data

Kansas	<u>January 2012</u>	<u>December 2011</u>	<u>January 2011</u>
Civilian Labor Force	1,497,346	1,505,438	1,498,894
Employment	1,402,002	1,415,235	1,385,803
Unemployment	95,344	90,203	113,091
Unemployment Rate	6.4	6.0	7.5
Lawrence MSA			
<i>(Douglas County)</i>			
Civilian Labor Force	61,859	61,508	61,256
Employment	58,415	58,344	57,146
Unemployment	3,444	3,164	4,110
Unemployment Rate	5.6	5.1	6.7
Topeka MSA			
<i>(Jackson, Jefferson, Osage, Shawnee and Wabaunsee Counties)</i>			
Civilian Labor Force	120,242	120,601	122,825
Employment	111,770	112,609	113,010
Unemployment	8,472	7,992	9,815
Unemployment Rate	7.0	6.6	8.0
Wichita MSA			
<i>(Butler, Harvey, Sedgwick and Sumner Counties)</i>			
Civilian Labor Force	305,913	304,428	310,192
Employment	282,659	282,285	282,104
Unemployment	23,254	22,143	28,088
Unemployment Rate	7.6	7.3	9.1
Kansas City Area			
<i>(Franklin, Johnson, Leavenworth, Linn, Miami and Wyandotte Counties)</i>			
Civilian Labor Force	440,863	442,882	436,999
Employment	411,679	415,269	402,093
Unemployment	29,184	27,613	34,906
Unemployment Rate	6.6	6.2	8.0
Manhattan MSA			
<i>(Geary, Pottawatomie and Riley Counties)</i>			
Civilian Labor Force	61,443	60,932	62,279
Employment	58,083	57,793	58,365
Unemployment	3,360	3,139	3,914
Unemployment Rate	5.5	5.2	6.3

Source: Kansas Department of Labor, Labor Market Information Services, in conjunction with the Bureau of Labor Statistics